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Date: Wed, 7 May 2003 13:07:05 CDT  
From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 3488

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by Tom Aschenbrenner <boat@Aschen.com>  
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by "Roger" <mrhistory@cox.net>  
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by WA5CAB@cs.com

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Date: Thu, 1 May 2003 12:24:53 -0400 (EDT)  
From: "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
Message-Id: <200305011624.MAA11437@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: TWO Dayton VIP parking passes available

Think these are \$25/ea & are NOT fleabie sales spaces. They're  
for parking right next to HARA & are long since sold out

Until this posting

Tnx the look,

Marty

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Message-ID: <3EB1990A.6050408@bw.webex.net>  
Date: Thu, 01 May 2003 18:00:42 -0400  
From: Al Klase <skywaves@bw.webex.net>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Military Net at Warminster Hamfest?  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

RT0's

I'll be at the Warminster ARC hamfest in Wrightstown, Pa.  
on Sunday, 4 May, with radios. I'll have the GRC-9 and  
BC-611 for 3883KC and the PRC-77 for 51MHz. If anyone shows  
up we'll conduct a brief net at 11AM. I'll set the GRC-9  
and generator out to attract attention. Anybody game?

This is usually a good event.

Flyer is here: <http://www.k3dn.org/hamfest%20flyer2003.pdf>

73,  
Al

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Al Klase - N3FRQ  
skywaves@bw.webex.net  
Flemington, NJ 08822  
Web Page: <http://www.webex.net/~skywaves/home.htm>

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Message-ID: <001301c310f3\$eb256660\$8b9ecdd1@s0023531634>  
From: "Sandy W5TVW" <ebjr@i-55.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Parting out!  
Date: Fri, 2 May 2003 16:43:48 -0500  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
        charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have an HW-100 that I will be parting out. No tubes. Most of the sheet metal pieces available. Sell the parts or trade for other gear.

I am in need of a Hallicrafters HA-5 VFO in decent shape.

73,  
Sandy W5TVW

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Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20030502194809.0296e408@pop-server.nc.rr.com>  
Date: Fri, 02 May 2003 19:48:09 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>  
Subject: Ultrasonic cleaner sale  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

Just noticed that the Harbor Freight catalog I got has their \$39 ultrasonic cleaner on sale for \$29. Don't know if they're any good or not ... the unit I have is an old Heath cleaner that my Dad built, but you might want to check it out.

Great for cleaning hardware and other small widgets.

John  
K5MO

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Message-ID: <001d01c311ba\$f0368540\$41a2cdd1@s0023531634>  
From: "Sandy W5TVW" <ebjr@i-55.com>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: FS: SWAN 6 meter transceiver  
Date: Sat, 3 May 2003 16:28:27 -0500  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

FOR SALE: SWAN 250 6 meter SSB transceiver. 6146's a bit weak but delivers around 20-30 watts. With power supply/speaker and noise blanker module. It appeared to receive fine on a band opening a few weeks ago. Got many beacons on a 20 meter dipole for an antenna after it warms up and stabilizes. Best offer over \$150 plus shipping. Have a copy of manual. This is from an "SK" ham's estate. 73,

Sandy W5TVW

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Mime-Version: 1.0  
Message-Id: <p05200f03bad9f3c003f2@[216.175.84.132]>  
Date: Sat, 3 May 2003 15:37:07 -0700  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: Scott Robinson <spr@earthlink.net>  
Subject: Re: Surface Mount Soldering Station, adn DRM comment  
Cc: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii" ; format="flowed"

David,

Look on eBay under Metcal. I have one of their systems at work and it's great. Usual price for a power supply and one handle with tip is \$200. Hot tweezer ("Talon") is will also run off this supply, good for resistors and such. It's American made, too.

For square ICs with pins on all sides, you ihave to get the exact fit tip that de-solders all pins at once. They add up if you need a lot of different sizes.

BA content: DRM (Digital Radio Mondiale) SW broadcasting has started, and a friend has fed his Ten-Tec 12 kHz last IF into his sound card and listened-it works. Those of us who are SWBC listeners may have to be building accessories with surface mount parts to decode this stuff. I have as yet con comparison with AM for performance under poor signal conditions.

>Anyone know where I can find a used surface mount soldering station,

>like the "hot air" kind? Can't afford a new one- hoping for  
>surplus or trade.

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Scott Robinson  
spr@earthlink.net

Junque is GOOD for you!

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Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20030503190407.0245c044@pop-server.nc.rr.com>  
Date: Sat, 03 May 2003 19:04:07 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>  
Subject: Re: Surface Mount Soldering Station, adn DRM comment  
Cc: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

At 03:37 PM 5/3/03 -0700, Scott Robinson wrote:

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>David,  
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>Look on eBay under Metcal. I have one of their systems at work and  
>it's great. Usual price for a power supply and one handle with tip is  
>\$200.

Scott's right on with this... I managed to score a Metcal  
station w/10 tips at the Raleigh NC fest a couple years ago  
for a \_very\_ reasonable price (even still had the warantee card, that I  
sent in and got  
a free Metcal coffee cup!). I believe they're about 600-700\$ new  
and tips go from 25-75\$ a copy. I've seen several at hamfests  
tho.

My first intro to them was at work too... almost instant heat  
(maybe 8-10 sec to solder heat from turn on) and a wide array of tips.

I just did my first "Manhattan" style QRP rig, and I dont  
think I could have soldered the SOIC chips without the fine tips  
with the Metcal. They're just as much at home desoldering tube sockets  
or assembling PL-239s too.

If you see one at a fest, jump on it. They're recognizable  
by their appearance... think of the black monolith in 2001, Space  
Oddesey, and you'll be close!

John K5M0

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Message-Id: <5.1.1.6.0.20030503201605.00acfec0@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>  
Date: Sat, 03 May 2003 20:42:23 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: John Dilks - K2TQN <oldradio@worldnet.att.net>  
Subject: I'm taking BA's to Wrightstown, PA Hamfest Sunday May 4  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

@ Middletown Grange Fairgrounds, Wrightstown, PA. Sunday May 4  
<http://www.k3dn.org/hamfest.htm>

I'm cleaning out my storage - Estate items from two years ago that I'm not going to use. I'll be in a maroon Chevy Lumina and have a maroon Ford Expedition next to me.

Collins R-390 (Mfg. Collins)  
Other R-390A (I'm told it's a good mfg.)  
Collins Aircraft HF SSB Transceiver  
National SW-3 w-1 set of coils  
Drake TR-4 Remote VFO  
Gonset GSB-201 Linear (4-811A)  
Ameco 6-2 Transmitter  
Gonset 6-2-1.5 VFO  
Harvey-Wells TS-90  
Heath Panoramic 620(?) SB-line-Yellow screen  
Hallicrafters S-38  
Hallicrafters S-40 w/Heathkit Accessory  
LakeShore Bandmaster VFO  
Swan (something)  
Heathkit Ham accessories, about 10 of them  
Stewart-Warner TRF radio model 300 w-5 201A's  
Transmitting Variables, large assortment  
Misc. Microphones  
Misc. test equipment  
Misc. parts

First-come-first-served, everything as-is, not tested.  
73' John Dilks, K2TQN

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From: "Shaun Merrigan" <smerriga@compusmart.ab.ca>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: R390A PTO  
Date: Sun, 4 May 2003 19:38:58 -0600  
Message-ID: <LPBBJKAGEOKFPIAEFDNGKEFNJGAA.smerriga@compusmart.ab.ca>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Does anyone know of a vendor for  
R90A main tuning PTOs other than Fair Radio?  
The units that they are selling are  
without connectors (ie snipped off)  
and are in poor shape.

I have done some searching on the web, and  
I will share my results with the group  
as I follow them up.

Thanks,

Shaun

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smerriga@compusmart.ab.ca

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Date: Mon, 5 May 2003 01:45:40 -0400 (EDT)  
From: "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
Message-Id: <200305050545.BAA15379@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: Surface Mount Soldering Station, adn DRM comment

John I went to the web & found a company called Aires that sells smt  
-to- dip carriers. They even sent me 2 samples of the 8-pin dip variety!

Very nice folks

Usage was dc boost (flyback) p-s for a BC-611 (cq 75)

More on Aires if you're interested. Tho I think they've a \$100  
minimum & carriers are about \$12/ea. in quantities < 1 google.

Marty

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Date: Mon, 05 May 2003 00:12:05 -0600  
From: "Herbert M. Rosenthal" <herbrose@comcast.net>  
Subject: Help from a member

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Message-id: <3EB600B0.58B9BCD2@comcast.net>  
MIME-version: 1.0  
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii  
Content-transfer-encoding: 7BIT

While back I was grunching about a Measurements Lab model 59 GDO that I purchased at the e place (for my nephew in JA- land) and found to be too squirrely to be of any practical use. There were serious problems with the variable cap and its mountings that I could not correct. In a word, it was consistently inconsistent in oscillating.

One of the members of this BA reflector was kind enough to send me a tuning head surplus to his need. A wee bit of recalibration of the tuning dial to track with the set of coils I have, and it's now ready to be shipped to Dan in Japan.

Thank you, kind sir, for your generosity (name withheld).

Herb Rosenthal W5AN  
Albuquerque

PS I have now been into three heads and each one is different-maybe 'improved' by well meaning folks, perhaps just factory mods not reflected in their literature. All 3 use identical variable caps which I think are (were) poorly designed... but hey, I bought mine in about 1966 and it's still ticking...

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To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: DurHamFest and some goodies  
Message-Id: <20030505170658.4B6FF50B81@atlantic.ee.duke.edu>  
Date: Mon, 5 May 2003 13:06:58 -0400 (EDT)  
From: rtg@ee.duke.edu (Rhett T. George)

- Greetings -

For those of you in the southeast, DurHamFest is alive and well and in a new location and time slot. Time is this coming Saturday, 10 May, 2003, from 0800 to 1400. It is still in Durham, NC, but at the National Guard Armory located on Stadium Dr. about two blocks south of Durham Regional Hospital. Stadium Dr. and the hospital are reached from Duke Street (aka 15-501 Bypass). Duke Street intersects I-85 about one mile south of the site. Talk-in on WR4AGC repeater on 147.225 MHz.

Good friend K4MNB is downsizing and moving to a much smaller house. He has some good equipment for sale. Two S-38A, S-76 (?) with broken dial cover, S-108 (?) with broken dial glass, coomplete Drake TR4 rig, HQ-140X, and lots more that I have forgotten or not seen. Since his hf antennas are down, you will have to call him or catch him as you can on 147.225 MHz.



Ken Bentz - 919/563-2768.

Cheers and 73,

Rhett - KE4HIH

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Message-ID: <001b01c31340\$19e7c440\$0100a8c0@SERVER>  
From: "Bill Coleman N2BC" <n2bc@stny.rr.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Mil Connector Source  
Date: Mon, 5 May 2003 15:54:06 -0400  
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My apologies for posting this to a bunch of places, but I think it's =  
worth busting a rule or two.

If you are in need of "Military Style" connectors, try:

William Perry Co.  
702 Beechwood Road  
Louisville, KY 40207  
502-893-8724

I needed a bunch of connectors for a Harris amp & Mr. Perry had them all =  
at very reasonable \$\$.=20

But be prepared for a SURPRISE. They insisted on sending the connectors =  
to make sure they were correct BEFORE I paid for them. And, they only =  
want your personal check or an MO when they finally get around to taking =  
your \$\$ (no plastic).

I'm not sure what range of products they have and they have no internet =  
site or email. I have no interest in the company other than being a very =  
satisfied and pleasantly surprised customer.

Best 73, Bill

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Bill Coleman N2BC  
<http://home.stny.rr.com/n2bc>

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From: "Richard Dillman" <ddillman@igc.org>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Date: Mon, 05 May 2003 22:00:06 -0700  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Subject: WTB: Accessories for AN/TXC-1  
Message-ID: <3EB6DEE6.15452.251C1D@localhost>  
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII  
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The correct table for my AN/TXC-1 military facsimile machine has arrived. Thanks to Jack, WA2HWJ, for making it available.

Now I'm looking for accessories I don't yet have for the system. Please check the list below. If you have any of this stuff stashed away and are willing to part with it please let me know!

- o Speaker LS-11
- o Telephone coupling coil model UC (fits on telephone handset).
- o Telephone coupling coil model KC (fits on old style candlestick earphone).
- o Cord CD-1018
- o Cord CD-1019
- o Direct recording paper, Timefax type NDA or A, or Teledeltos.

- o Recording stylus FSN N5815-508-7819 (bent type).
- o Any parts or accessories for the AN/TXC-1 except power supply PP-86(\*) and converter CV-2(\*) .

Many Thanks,

RD

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Richard Dillman, W6AWO  
Member of the Maritime Radio Historical Society  
<<http://www.radiomarine.org>>  
Collector of Heavy Metal:  
Harleys, Willys and Radios over 100lbs.  
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Richard Dillman, W6AWO  
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From: KN5VOL@aol.com  
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To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
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Date: Tue, 06 May 2003 12:49:12 -0700  
From: Dave Hollander <n7rk@cox.net>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: FS: Heathkits and a few other items  
Content-Type: text/html; charset=us-ascii  
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</pre><p>  
<!doctype html public "-//w3c//dtd html 4.0 transitional//en">  
<html>  
Here is a bunch of stuff for sale. Prices do not include shipping unless  
<br>specified.  
<p>Heathkit HM-11 SWR Bridge.....\$25 plus shipping  
<br>Works great. Clean front panel. case has scratches.  
<p>Photos:  
<br><a href="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathswrbridge.jpg">http://  
members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathswrbridge.jpg</a>  
<br><a href="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathswrbridge2.jpg">http://  
members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathswrbridge2.jpg</a>  
<p>Heathkit HD-15 Phone Patch.....\$20 plus shipping  
<br>Clean, untested  
<p>Photos:  
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members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathpatch2.jpg</a>  
<p>Heathkit Intercom.....\$20 plus shipping  
<br>A pair of Intercom parts units. The model number is GB-51. What you see is what you get. I do not have any documentation. I have never seen one of these!  
<p>Photos:  
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<br><a href="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathswrbridge.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heathintercom3.jpg</a>  
<br>&nbsp; <br>  
<p>Heathkit Electronic Switch Model S-2 with original manual....\$20 plus shipping  
<br>Photos:  
<br><A HREF="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heath\_switch.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/heath\_switch.jpg</A>  
<p>URM-25E Signal Generator - US Navy with Manual (copy).....\$135 plus shipping  
<br>This well built unit covers 10 kHz to 50 MHz in 8 bands. The  
<br>unit has been tested and works great. No accessories  
<br>Photos:  
<br><A HREF="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/urm25e2.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/urm25e2.jpg</A>  
<br><A HREF="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/urm25e3.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/urm25e3.jpg</A>  
<p>A Large Motorized Jennings Vacuum Variable Capacitor....\$250 plus shipping  
<br>Looks like New Old Stock  
<br>10-1000 pF, 15 kV rating...  
<br>Capacitor tested on one of my capacitance meters&nbsp; and measures 10-1000 pF.  
<br>Motor tested and runs on 12 Vdc. Perfect for the 8877 or 4-1000 amp you want to build!!  
<p>Photos  
<br><A HREF="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/jenningsvaccap.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/jenningsvaccap.jpg</A>  
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<br><A HREF="http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/jenningsvaccap3.jpg">http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/jenningsvaccap3.jpg</A>  
<p>I will ship overseas.  
<p>You can check my user ID "n7rk" on Eb\*y  
<br>for a reference as to dealing with me.  
<p>Thanks for looking and 73,  
<p>Dave N7RK  
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<br>Dave  
N7RK  
<A HREF="http://members.cox.net/n7rk">http://members.cox.net/n7rk</A>  
<br>Phoenix, Arizona \*DXCC  
Honor Roll\*  
<p>ex-XE2/N7RK,  
N7RK/ZB2, VK2ERK, ZM0AJN, WB6NRK, WN6IWX  
<p>Boatanchor and Antique Radio Collector Extraordinaire preferring Hallicrafters,  
National and what ever else looks interesting!  
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Message-ID: <3EB84D7B.14DD3528@cox.net>  
Date: Tue, 06 May 2003 17:04:11 -0700  
From: Dave Hollander <n7rk@cox.net>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: FS: Microphones and Keys  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1; x-mac-type="54455854"; x-mac-creator="4D4F5353"  
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Here are some microphones and keys for sale. Prices do not include shipping unless specified.

Turner P-9D Dynamic Microphone...\$40  
Dynamic Microphone made in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. This mike works and is in excellent condition.

Photos:  
<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/p9d2.gif>  
[http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/turner\\_dynamicmike.jpg](http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/turner_dynamicmike.jpg)

Astatic DN-500 Bullet Microphone...\$45  
I am not sure if this is the original finish or not as I have never seen one in gray. The unit is in very good condition with no major scrapes or dings. It has been tested and sounds good. The chrome is nice and un-pitted. The connector is a 3 prong Amphenol. This microphone fits into my type "G" and "UGB" Astatic D-104 Microphone stands  
Photos:  
<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/bulletmike.jpg>  
<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/bulletmike2.jpg>  
<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/connector.jpg>

E.F. Johnson Base Station Microphone...\$25 plus shipping  
Good condition and working. Has a modular (telephone-type) connector.

Photos:

<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/johnsonmike2.jpg>

Vibroplex Black Base Original.....\$80 plus shipping

The serial number is 134612 which dates it to 1944 and manufacture in New York City. This bug needs a good cleaning. It is missing the weights and one of the terminal screws. Replacements parts are available from Vibroplex.

Photos:

[http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/vibroplex\\_original.jpg](http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/vibroplex_original.jpg)

[http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/vibroplex\\_original2.jpg](http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/vibroplex_original2.jpg)

U.S. Army Signal Corps Flame Proof Key J-5-A...\$75 plus shipping

Flame Proof Key J-5-A made by L.S. Brach Mfg. of Newark, NJ. This is a W.W.II key in very good condition.

Photos:

<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/flameproofkey.jpg>

<http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/flameproofkey2.jpg>

I will ship overseas.

You can check my user ID "n7rk" on Eb\*y  
for a reference as to dealing with me.

Thanks for looking and 73,

Dave N7RK

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Dave N7RK <http://members.cox.net/n7rk>

Phoenix, Arizona \*DXCC Honor Roll\* \*WAZ#23 - 75 Meter SSB\*

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Boatanchor and Antique Radio Collector Extraordinaire preferring  
Hallicrafters, National and what ever else looks interesting!

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Date: Wed, 7 May 2003 05:22:10 -0400

From: "Robert G. Flory" <RobandPJ@compuserve.com>

Subject: Free:Meissner Signal Shifter NBFM modulator  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Message-ID: <200305070522\_MC3-1-3799-7627@compuserve.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
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charset=ISO-8859-1  
Content-Disposition: inline

Hi,  
Available free for shipping: NBFM modulator for Meissner Signal Shifter  
EX, model FMX. Rules of engagement: First priority to anyone who has  
participated in the Classic Exchange event. Next, to whoever gets me the=  
prettiest picture of their Meissner Signal Shifter EX by Sunday. Next, t=  
o  
the early bird that sends me the first, "I gotta have it" message. Next,=  
guess I'll have to try to crank up the deviation and use it to play  
something on my pre-war Meissner broadcast FM tuner(42-50megs).  
73, Rob K2WI

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Message-ID: <3EB92934.552ED61@Aschen.com>  
Date: Wed, 07 May 2003 10:41:40 -0500  
From: Tom Aschenbrenner <boat@Aschen.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: USS COBIA Update  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I just got back from the "Grand Experiment" (trying to track  
a WWII B-17 on a WWII SJ-1 radar) and re-discovered why the  
designers of the COBIA put three radars aboard! It turns out  
that the design optimization of the SJ-1 for surface search  
was REALLY good. When the B-17 flew over I was able to see him  
on one or two scans of the PPI but that was it. I know the  
SJ was working ok because I could see the channel markers  
beyond the harbor and they only stick up about 5 feet and are  
one foot in diameter.

Another subject:

Does anyone have a nice TCS setup that you want to sell? I'm  
looking for nice units either seperate or as a group so as



to be able to build a complete setup.

Thanks,

Tom Aschenbrenner

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Message-ID: <001101c314b0\$07f67da0\$f73c6644@ks.ok.cox.net>  
From: "Roger" <mrhistry@cox.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: R-392 meter  
Date: Wed, 7 May 2003 10:47:57 -0500  
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charset="iso-8859-1"  
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BAers,  
Anyone have an Ammeter National stock # 6625-00-538-9700 in excess to =  
their needs? Hopefully in working condition.  
Roger  
K0RMK

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com  
Message-ID: <113.22f58b4d.2beaa515@cs.com>  
Date: Wed, 7 May 2003 14:06:13 EDT

Subject: FS: CFD-20080-A Rectifier Power Unit  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
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Groups,

Stumbled across this today. I packed it a couple of years ago for someone who disappeared into cyberspace. CFD-20080-A Rectifier Power Unit for Navy Model LP-(\*) Signal Generator (this one is marked for LP-5). Excellent condition \$45 plus shipping.

73  
Robert Downs  
Houston  
<wa5cab@cs.com>

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